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SUBJECT: REMITTANCES FOR FILM ROYALTIES AND PAYMENTS

PLEASE PASS FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO S. FREDERICK GRONICH, VICE
PRESIDENT, MOTION PICTURE EXPORT ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA, 49
AVENUE FRANKLIN ROOSEVELT, 75008 PARIS, TELEPHONE: 359-64-86:

"WITH REFERENCE TO YOUR TELEGRAM OF 29 AUGUST, ECONOMIC/
COMMERCIAL COUNSELOR NYREN HAS FOLLOWED UP WITH TREASURY
DEPARTMENT AND CENTRAL BANK MATTER OF DELAY IN AUTHORIZATION OF
REMITTANCES FOR ROYALTIES AND IMPORTS.

OZOL, DIRECTOR GENERAL TREASURY DEPARTMENT, SAID WHEN YOU MET
WITH HIM TWO MONTHS AGO HE ANTICIPATED NO FURTHER PROBLEMS.
HOWEVER, NEW PROCEDURES HAD BEEN ADOPTED WHICH REQUIRED FURTHER
STUDY. THIS MATTER NOW SETTLED AND TREASURY INSTRUCTED CENTRAL
BANK ABOUT TEN DAYS AGO TO PROCESS REMITTANCE PAYMENTS
WITHOUT DELAY.

WE CHECKED WITH SIKLAR, HEAD OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE SECTION OF CENTRAL
BANK, WHO SAID MATTER IS NOW APPARENTLY RESOLVED AND HE
EXPECTS REQUESTS FOR REMITTANCES WILL BE APPROVED WITHOUT
FURTHER DELAY. HE CONFIRMED THAT CENTRAL BANK RECEIVED
INSTRUCTIONS FROM MINISTRY OF FINANCE RECENTLY.

SIKLAR SAID PROBLEM AROSE WITH RESPECT TO INCLUSION OF REMITTANCES
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FOR BOTH ROYALTIES AND IMPORT OF FILMS IN SAME APPLICATIONS.

CENTRAL BANK WISHES HAVE AMOUNT FOR EACH PURPOSE SPECIFIED
SEPARATELY. HOWEVER, NEW PROCEDURE WILL PERMIT APPROVAL OF
APPLICATIONS WITHOUT DELAY FOR ALL APPLICATIONS WHEN AMOUNT LESS
THAN \$10,000. IF AMOUNT MORE THAN \$10,000, APPLICATION SHOULD BE
SUPPORTED BY DOCUMENT FROM PROFESSIONAL SOCIETY REGARDING VALUE OF
FILM. SIKLAR IS CONFIDENT SUCH DOCUMENT CAN BE OBTAINED READILY AND
SHOULD OCCASION NO UNUSUAL DELAY HEREAFTER."
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